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Symphony Club Holds Summer Concerts

A SERIES of yard concerts, under the direction of the Symphony Club, will be presented for students attending Summer Sessions. It was announced today.

Francis Barnard, popular young singer, who headed the cast of an opera given by the organization last summer, will be in charge of the program.

The concerts, which fall on four succeeding Thursdays, have been scheduled for July 13, 20, 27, and August 3. Dr. Mitchell Dreese, Dean of Summer Sessions, is working in cooperation with the Symphony Club in presenting the concerts.

The series for the season include the University Madrigal Singers in a program of 17th century music, July 13; two one-act operas, fully staged and costumed, July 20; a joint recital by Francis Barnard and Michale Salkind, July 27; and "Faust," full-length opera, August 3.

William Haythe will play Faust in the final presentation; Francis Barnard, Mephistopheles; Julia Culbertson, Marguerite; Tahmenah Iran, Siebel; Marjorie Wilkins, Martha, and Robert Munster, Valentine.

Three separate choral groups will do the choral work. They include the Tau Sigma Rho male chorus, the Madrigal Singers, and a girls' group, to be announced.

On the July 13 program the Madrigal Singers will sing "Now in the Month of Maying," Morley; "The Silver Swan," Gibbons; "When I'll Come a-Dale went a-Hunting," Purcell; "In These Delightful Pleasant Groves," Purcell; "Adieu, Sweet Amarillis," Wilbye; and "Echo Song," by di Lasse.

Francis Barnard will sing "Arise, Ye Subterranean Winds," Purcell; "Next, Winter Comes Slowly," Purcell; and "Prælo, Me Your Musty Rules," Arne. On the same program soloists will do "Adoramus te, Christe," by Palestrina; "Jesu, Priceless Treasure," and "Now Let All the Heavens Adore Thee," by Bach.

Residence Warnings Are Given

THE RESIDENCE requirements for degrees in Columbian College as stated in the University Catalogue are called to the attention of students concerned by Dean Henry Gratton Doyle, Dean of Columbian College.

In a special communication to The Hatchet, Dean Doyle issued the following warning to students expecting to receive the degree of A.B., B.S., or A.M. from Columbian College.

"Students must complete a minimum of 30 semester-hours of work in residence in Columbian College. The entire work of the senior year must be completed in residence. Residence in another school, college, or division of The George Washington University does not satisfy the Columbian College residence requirement.

"Students in the Junior College or the University Division who plan eventually to become candidates for degrees in Columbian College are advised to plan their work so as to meet these requirements. A student who unduly prolongs his stay in the Junior College or the Division of University Students through failure to take and pass prescribed Junior College courses or other prerequisites (English, foreign language, social studies, mathematics, or science, etc.) or through failure to meet the scholarship requirements for the Junior Certificate, may find himself obliged to take work in excess of the minimum total of 124 semester-hours for the Bachelor's degree if he has failed to meet Columbian College residence requirements.

"The Division of University Students is not a degree-granting division of the University, and the University Catalogue sets definite limitations upon the extent to which students may count work taken in that Division towards degrees in degree-granting divisions of the University.

"In the case of candidates for the A.M. degree from Columbian College, all of the required minimum of 30 semester-hours of work must be done while registered in Columbian College. If approved in advance by the Dean of Columbian College, a maximum of 12 semester-hours may be taken in another school or division of this University. No work done at institutions other than The George Washington University may be counted towards meeting these minimum requirements for the A.M. degree in Columbian College.

"It is in the interest of students who plan to become candidates for degrees in Columbian College so to arrange their work as to meet all Junior College requirements and be regularly admitted to Columbian College at the earliest possible time. The requirements in Columbian College may be raised or increased at any time. Postponement of required Junior College courses in order to take advanced courses or other electives is educationally unsound and is strongly advised against on practical grounds.

"A student who has exceeded the minimum 64 semester-hours required for the Junior Certificate and who is still in Junior College should (See "Residence," Page 4)

University Gives LLD To Fleming

ROBERT V. FLEMING, nationally known banker and past President of the American Bankers Association, will receive the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws from the University at the 118th Commencement today.

Mr. Fleming, who is president of the Riggs National Bank, is a native of Washington and a former student of the University. In addition to his career in banking, he is known for his service on the directorates of many important companies and for his interest and activity in behalf of civic and educational enterprises.

Two members of the faculty of the University who are retiring this year will receive honorary degrees at the Commencement.

Dr. Francis Randall Hagner, who has served for forty-five years as Professor of Urology, will receive the degree of Doctor of Science. Dr. Hagner is a graduate of The George Washington University School of Medicine and has been a member of its faculty since he received his degree in 1894. He has a national reputation as a medical practitioner, scientist and teacher, and is recognized as one of the leading men in his field.

Dr. William Carl Ruediger, Professor of Education and Provost of the University, will receive the degree of Doctor of Education.

Provost Ruediger has been a member of the faculty of the University since 1907. From 1912 to 1936 he was Dean of the School of Education, and since 1936 has held the post of Provost.

Provost Ruediger holds the degrees of Ph.B. and Ph.D. from the University of Wisconsin and the degree of Ph.D. from Columbia University. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa and Phi Delta Kappa, and of numerous educational bodies.

The honorary degree of Master of Science in administration will be conferred upon Dr. Lewis Harvey Taylor, well known surgeon and President of Sibley Hospital.

History Dept. Adds New Lecturer

BRIGADIER GENERAL Oliver L. Spaulding, an outstanding authority on the military history of the United States, has been appointed to the University faculty as a professorial lecturer and will next year give a seminar in the military history of the United States.

The seminar will cover a study of the background, development, relations to the civil government, and larger implications of the American military system; the relationship of war to the economic and social life of the nation; and war as a component part of the national experience.

Enrollment will be restricted to a small number of selected students having the historical background and a special interest in the subject. Those wishing to register for this course should consult Prof. Wood Gray of the history department. The seminar will meet Thursday from 8 to 10 p.m. throughout the year and will carry six semester-hour credits.

General Spaulding, who is chief of the historical section of the Army War College, is a scholar as well as a military man. He is the author of the standard history of the United States Army and works on European warfare. He holds the degree of A.B. from the University of Michigan, A.M. and LL.B. from Harvard, and is a graduate of the Army War College and honor graduate of the Artillery School.

Smiths, Johnsons and Browns Lead Directory Listings

IF YOU'RE a University grad, the odds are that your name is Smith rather than anything else, that you come from the District instead of any other place on the globe, and that you were graduated in 1932 rather than any other year.

THE EXECUTIVE secretary of the Alumni Association, Lester Allen Smith, fittingly enough, comes close to being the "average graduate" described above. Mr. Smith, who also lectures in Library Science, is in one of the largest name groups listed in the alumni directory and is a member of the class of '32, although he misses out on the last requirement, coming from the West instead of the District.

Of the 17,252 graduates listed in the new alumni directory 178 bear the name of Smith. Johnson and Brown vie for the title of second most popular name with the former gaining that position by the close score of 106 to 104. Jones, the pre-count favorite, wound up a poor fourth, being listed only 70 times. Other names trail far, far



Charles Earl Wallace

Naval Course In Designing Given Here

A COURSE in Naval Architecture and Marine Engineering will be given in the Summer Session to meet a need for ship designers and inspectors arising out of the United States Maritime Commission's program for the construction of 500 merchant vessels for the American Merchant Marine. Dean Mitchell Dreese announced today.

The course will be under the direction of Dr. Arthur F. Johnson, Professor of Mechanical Engineering in the University's School of Engineering.

Lectures and problems on modern seagoing steam and Diesel powered cargo and passenger vessels will be based on detail plans, specifications and performance data, furnished by the Commission, which requested scheduling of the course. Items covered will include the arrangements, lines, structure, machinery and equipment as affected by Government Laws and Regulations, American Bureau of Shipping Rules, Bureau of Mine Inspection and Navigation, economic factors, technical considerations, shipyard and operating practices. Trips to nearby shipyards will be a part of the course.

The class will meet from 5 until 7 p.m. daily, Monday through Thursday, from June 19 to August 18. The course carries five semester-hour credits.

Dr. Johnson, who will give the course, is a graduate of Webb Institute of Naval Architecture and also holds the degrees of M. E. from the George Washington University and Ph. D. from the University of Michigan. From 1911 to 1921 he was engaged in the design and construction of vessels, and since then has been in constant touch with the field.

Approximately 25 Library Jobs Are Now Open

PROFITABLE POSITIONS in the University Library will become available to about 25 students with the beginning of the fall semester, and should be applied for in the office of the University Librarian, John Russell Mason, which is located in the temporary library in the basement of Building D, beginning June 19.

The positions will be profitable to students both financially and educationally, and they will be given to students with high scholastic averages and the desirable personal qualifications.

In the new Library, assistants will be needed in the reserve reading room, the periodical room, the browsing room, the delivery desk and stacks, and the staff work rooms. The Law and Medical Libraries, which are located in Stockton Hall and the School of Medicine, respectively, will also require assistant librarians.

ODK Taps 6 Leaders Class Night

(See Additional Pictures, page 4)

SIX MEN WERE TAPPED for membership into Omicron Delta Kappa, honorary activities fraternity, at Class Night exercises yesterday on bases of participation in extra-curricular campus activities and on minimum scholarship requirements.

They were Everett Bellows, Student Council member and forensics leader; Jack Butterworth, varsity athlete; Hal Schlering, athlete and founder of the Varsity Letter Men's Club; Sid Silkowitz, varsity basketball; Don Summe, varsity tennis man and holder of exceptional law school scholarship record; and Charles Earl Wallace, who has been active on the University publications.

Initiation ceremonies for these men as well as installation of officers for next year will take place Friday at 7 p.m. at the Willard Hotel, to be followed by a banquet celebrating the tenth anniversary of the founding of the local Alpha Delta Circle and the twenty-fifth anniversary of the national fraternity's founding.

All Alumni, faculty and honorary members, as well as the active O. D. K. chapter, will be invited to participate in the celebration. Among those expected are Hugh Clegg, president of the alumni association, and President Marvin.

Honorary initiation ceremonies for Charles E. Merry, newly appointed business manager of the University, will take place in conjunction of the initiation of the undergraduate tappers.

Law Honorary Inducts 21 Graduates

TWENTY-ONE University law school graduates were inducted into membership in the Order of the Coif, legal honor society, at the annual dinner held Monday night at the Raleigh Hotel.

Justice William O. Douglas of the United States Supreme Court, who was the guest of honor and speaker, was made an honorary member.

The graduates, elected from the highest ranking ten per cent of the class, were:

Bernard W. Adams, William W. Alsop, Adam Y. Hennion, Ida P. Davidson, C. Moxley Featherston, Lloyd Fletcher, Jr., Charles M. Hutchins, Harry Kay, Ira B. Kirkland.

William H. Maroney, Helen Martell, Hugh J. Martin, Wendell P. Mcatee, Dennis O'Rourke, Arthur L. B. Richardson, Harold C. Smith, Ralph C. Smith, Walter E. Wyss; and, from the February, 1939, graduating class: Edmund G. Burnett, Ralph E. Ramsey, and Leon L. Wolfson.

Professor James Forrester Davison of the law faculty, who is president of the George Washington University chapter of the Order of the Coif, presided.

Student Swept Under By Swift Current, Drowns

A SUNDAY OUTING ended for a University architectural student last week end when he was swept in his death in the swift current of the Potomac River at Little Falls near Brookmont, Md.

Joseph Maggenli, 26, who told his aunt, Mrs. Mary Peruzzi, with whom he was rooming, that he wanted to find a cool place to study, was the student, taking with him several textbooks, and accompanied by Miss Elsie Irwin, also a University student, he went to a spot near Brookmont where the two students had a picnic lunch.

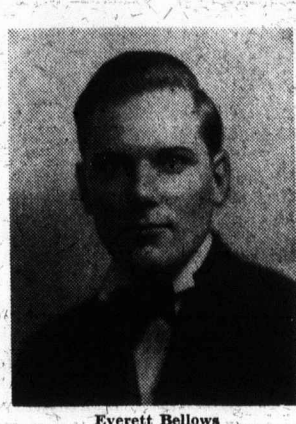
After lunch Maggenli, Miss Irwin said, went wading in the river and disappeared. Becoming anxious for his safety she called police and they searched for the missing man. Up to press-time his body had not been recovered.

Trustees Elect Herzog, Merry To New Offices

THE UNIVERSITY Board of Trustees created two new University offices, Assistant Comptroller and Business Manager, at a recent meeting. Henry W. Herzog was elected to the former office and Charles E. Merry as Business Manager. Both formerly held the title of Assistant to the Comptroller.

Eight trustees were re-elected. Renamed to serve three-year terms were George E. Fleming, Vice President and assistant trust officer of the Union Trust Co.; Dr. Luther H. Reichelderfer, former president of the District board of Commissioners; Dr. Harry C. Davis, Washington; Charles W. Gerstenberg, chairman of the Board of Prentice Hall, New York City; Col. Ulysses S. Grant, 3d; Dr. Gilbert Grosvenor, president of the National Geographic Society; Alfred H. Lawson, vice president of the Washington Loan and Trust Co.; Theodore W. Noyes, of the Washington Evening Star.

The board re-elected the following officers: Robert V. Fleming, president of Riggs National Bank; chairman; Arthur Peter, District Attorney, vice chairman; Dr. Harry C. Davis, secretary.



Everett Bellows

Prof. Henning Is Honored By Faculty

THE STAFF of the Department of Romance Languages gave a dinner in honor of Dr. George Neely Henning, professor of romance languages and executive officer of the department, at the Mayflower Hotel on June 6, 1939. He becomes professor emeritus at the end of the current year.

President Marvin and all members of the department were present. Miss Alice Henning, sister of Dean Henning, was also an honor guest.

As tokens of their friendship, the members of the department gave Dean Henning a desk set and an engrossed testimonial, the text of which is as follows:

TO
GEORGE NEELY HENNING

UPON the completion of more than two-score years of devoted service to The George Washington University as professor of romance languages and dean of the Graduate School, teacher, scholar, sympathetic yet objective interpreter of French literature and French culture, loyal colleague, kindly leader, generous friend, we, his colleagues of the Department of Romance Languages of The George Washington University, hereby gratefully record our enduring appreciation of the privilege of association with him in the work of the department and of the University, and express the hope that in his retirement from active service in the University, which the rank of Professor Emeritus of Romance Languages he may find the leading happiness and satisfaction that comes from having done all of one's appointed tasks with honesty, loyalty and skill.

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Henry Gratton Doyle
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Luis Quintanilla
Rae Potter
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Guests Featured In New Latin American Course

GUEST speakers, including governmental officials, Latin American envoys, bankers and business executives, and newspaper and magazine writers, will discuss current Latin American and Inter-American problems in a course of that name scheduled for the academic year 1939-40 under the auspices of the History Department and the Inter-American Center, and directed by George Howland Cox, Director of the Center.

Meeting weekly on Wednesday from 7:10 to 9 p.m. in the Hall of Government, the course will be open to the public by invitation twice each month. More than 250 requests for cards of admission already have been received from persons interested in Hispanic American affairs who wish to attend this series of interpretive lectures on the social, cultural, commercial, financial and political affairs of the three Americas.

For students of the University the course carries four semester-hours credit.

Among the topics for discussion are:

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21 Instructors Appointed, Leaves and Changes Listed

THE UNIVERSITY today announced the appointments of 21 new faculty members who will assume teaching duties at the beginning of the academic year on September 25.

Included in the report for the 1939-40 academic year were the resignations of four members, the promotion of 25 professors and instructors, and a listing of sabbatical leaves, leaves of absence, and changes of titles.

The following are the additions and changes in faculty personnel:

Appointments to Staff:
John Withrow Brewer, Ph.D., Associate Professor of International Law.
Paul Calabrisi, A.B., Instructor in Anatomy.
Frederick John Cullen, Ph.D., M.D., Professorial Lecturer on Drug Manufacture.
Raul d'Eca, Ph.D., Associate in Portuguese.
Thelma Brumfield Dunn, A.B., M.D., Clinical Instructor in Pathology.
John Albert Dusbabeck, M.D., Clinical Instructor in Obstetrics and Gynecology.

Class Night Awards Yesterday Number 62

Alumni Honor 5 Members For Service

ALUMNI ACHIEVEMENT awards were made to five persons for 1939, the General Alumni Association reported today.

Included among the five was John Edgar Hoover, director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation of the Department of Justice. Mr. Hoover received the degrees of LL.B., LL.M. and LL.D. from the George Washington University; the degree of LL.D. from the Pennsylvania Military College in 1936, from the New York University the same year and from the Oklahoma Baptist University in 1938.

Ella Morgan Austin Enlow, distinguished physician and research worker was also named. She received her A.B. from the University in 1915, her M.S. in 1916, and Ph.D. in 1923. She obtained the degree of M.D. from Johns Hopkins University in 1929.

Charles Rogers Arundell, member of the Board of Tax Appeals since 1925, recently reappointed by President Roosevelt for a twelve year term ending June 1, 1950, was also included.

Bishop Karl Morgan Block, recently elected Bishop of California, who has received degrees from the George Washington University, Virginia Theological Seminary, Roonke College, University of the South and Washington University, was also selected for outstanding achievement.

Fritz Von Briesen, president of the New York Club, distinguished member of the Patent Bar, and senior member of the patent firm of Briesen and Schrenk in New York City was listed, too.

SEVEN UNIVERSITY professors who assumed the status of professors emeritus at the end of present academic year were honored last night by the General Alumni Association of the University in the Hall of Government.

The gleeful club sang several selections and an informal reception was held at the end of the meeting by the retiring instructors. They included Prof. Paul Bartsch, George Morton Churchhill, Edward Francis, Francis Randall Hagner, George Neely Henning, William Carl Ruediger and Cecil Knight Jones.

Varied Views Expressed On King's Visit

By Margaret Snively

ANOTHER OF HISTORY'S "famous firsts" was made last week when the King and Queen of England visited the Nation's Capital. Among the thousands who lined the avenue to get just one fleeting glimpse of their Britannic majesties, King George VII and Queen Elizabeth, were two University professors and two University students who had definite but diverse opinions regarding the unprecedented visit.

Dr. Lowell Ragatz, professor of European history, believes that closer relations between the United States and England will probably be realized after this historic visit of the King and Queen to America. "It certainly did convince the common man that the United States and Great Britain are still brothers," he said.

Regarding the King's visit to Mr. Vernon, he remarked, "It was one of the great moments of history when King George put a wreath on Washington's tomb."

Dr. Ragatz commented that since the United States and Great Britain are the two chief democracies of the world, it behooves them to stick together in the face of serious controversies on the continent.

Dr. Ragatz was obviously pleased by the visit of the royal couple to America and equally impressed by

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SIXTY-TWO awards for scholastic excellence and for leadership in campus activities were presented at Class Night exercises last night in the University Yard.

In addition to the presentation of the prizes, six students were tapped for membership in Omicron Delta Kappa, honorary student activities fraternity. Presentations were made by President Cloyd H. Marvin. Barbara Harmon, President of the Senior Class, presided.

Walter E. Wyss, Schenectady, New York, received the John Bell Larner Medal awarded to the member of the graduating class of the law school who attains the highest average grade in the entire course.

The Samuel Herrick Award to the member of the graduating class of the law school, excepting the winner of the Larner Medal, who has attained the highest average grade in the entire work of the third year went to Charles M. Hutchins, 1810 Key Boulevard, Arlington, Va.

Lawrence A. Rapee, 1340 Harvard Street, received the John Ordronaux Award to the member of the graduating class of the school of medicine maintaining the highest scholastic standing.

The Joshua Evans III Memorial Award, established in memory of the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Evans, Jr., of Washington, and made annually to the man in the graduating class who has demonstrated signal ability in the social and political sciences and who has given promise of the interpretation of his ability in good citizenship among his fellows, was received by Everett H. Bellows, Toledo, Ohio, who also received the Gardiner G. Hubbard Memorial Award in History.

Marcel Henri Paul Van Hemert, Wilmet, Illinois, was awarded the William Richardson Oviatt Award in Commerce, for the highest average in the fields of economics, business administration, foreign commerce and public accounting. He also received the Alpha Kappa Psi Award in Commerce.

One of the largest prizes, the (See "Class Night," Page 4)

Library Prepares To Move

SOMETIME BETWEEN now and the beginning of the fall semester approximately 100,000 volumes in the various libraries and collections of the University will be moved from their present quarters to the new Library. With the exception of the Law and the Medical libraries, the new library will house all of the books, pamphlets, and periodicals owned by the University.

From their present location in seven different collections, these books and other materials will be transferred, under the direction of John Russell Mason, Librarian, to the eight-floor stack in the new building. Mr. Mason expects to effect the complete change with the aid of about ten additional men.

Books Now Scattered

The present locations of library books and material are the temporary Main Library, the Social Science Library, the Natural Science Library, the Physical Science Library, the Art book collection in the basement of the basement of Corcoran Hall where about 40,000 volumes are now stored, and the college catalog collection in Bldg. C.

Once in the "eight-floor stack" in Linsier Library, the material will be arranged in eight divisions. They are the Library of Congress and Cutter classifications, unclassified books, and pamphlets arranged broadly by subject. Also the University theses, University publications, unbound periodicals and serials and special gift collections of books and pamphlets which will be kept together until planned and catalogued.

Rare Books to be Moved

Another task which Mr. Mason and his staff have before them before they are completely moved is to transfer all of the rare books owned by the University from their present location in the basement of Columbian House to the large vault which will be on the fourth floor of the new library.

Other aspects of the problem of moving a complete library include the preparation of books and periodicals within the reserve book room, periodical room, and browsing room for use by students next fall. Preparing two exhibits for the built-in exhibit cases which will be in the hall of Linsier Library on the first floor.

Consolidating the present card catalogs of the five libraries into one comprehensive card catalog must also be accomplished before the opening of the new term.

Further Changes Listed

Further changes to be made include consolidation of the circulation records, training of new part-time assistants, and ordering, cataloging, classifying, and labeling new books needed for the fall semester.

Another activity to be embarked upon by Mr. Mason and his staff before the new term begins is the preparation of guide to the new building for the use of students, faculty members and visitors. Preparation of publicity material for the professional library journals, here and abroad, is another task before the library staff.

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Service to the Community

As The Hatchet closes this year and enters a new, all those associated with it re-dedicate themselves to the purpose of better service to the community. The measure of our service is the measure of our value.

A new board and a new editor can but attempt to strengthen The Hatchet as an instrument of service to all parts of our University community—students, faculty and administration, and alumni. We have fulfilled our responsibilities as we saw them—erroneously in some cases, but sincerely in all.

A report of our stewardship for the past year will show that we have produced a college newspaper rated as good by professional newsmen—who are inclined to be cynical about campus journals. It is not bragging, but a matter of factual reporting, to tell you again that we won a prize advertising cup; twice captured first place in news handling; and received a second-place editorial award. You may measure those achievements for yourself.

It is our purpose to reflect, as accurately and fully as possible, the flow of life in the University. And it should be said at once that in so doing we shall attempt to be something more than a house organ.

Our University, after almost a century and a quarter, is at last beginning to find its stride. The University is "booming" in several ways, and all the phases of that boom must be reported. To do so needs alert journalism and cooperative effort, and our part alone will not succeed.

Every student and member of the University can help.

You Can Help

In some way, to a greater or less extent, every student and member of the University can help The Hatchet.

In a more active way, a considerable number of students, including almost all those in the journalism classes, can help by becoming members of the staff. Other students can help by bringing us news-tips which our staff, because of the necessary limitations of size, cannot reach.

That is, if you have a friend or acquaintance in the University who has an interesting hobby, who is pursuing an unusual course of study in the University, who has an interesting background—tip off The Hatchet. Your friend will be of interest to many other students.

Similarly, every other member of the University can give us news that we may overlook. Members of the Administration have unusual, interesting jobs; members of the faculty are authorities on certain subjects. Let us know about them.

There are many activities in the University which can thus be brought to the attention of thousands of our students. A professor writes a book, for example. Unless one of our staff members happens to read the book, The Hatchet cannot be expected to know of this productive effort. But unless the professor is stricken with excessive modesty, he can tell us about his work. If he is too modest, his friends or students can tell us.

More specifically, we would like to re-emphasize a plan we proposed last fall—that every department in the University have a contact man, whose business it will be to know about the activities of his department and to let The Hatchet have that information.

Such a contact man would have to be active, and not merely a signpost, as some of them have been. It would be his duty to know all his department's professors, and what they are doing—and to report on them regularly.

Contact Men

And so we take this means of making this request of every department head:

Assign an active contact man as a "press agent," if you like—but tell him there will be work to it. Ask that man to let us have his name, office, and hours, and we will in our turn assign a reporter.

Regularly, this contact man should release information about functions in his department—important meetings, banquets, visiting dignitaries. We do not presume to say how that will be done. Perhaps University regulations make it advisable to send these releases through the Press Bureau.

All we want is the information.

We will assume responsibility for writing and publishing news—but we cannot be responsible for getting all the news. The contact man will be held responsible by this Board if he fails to let us know about an important conference which our reporter did not ask him about.

Similarly, more news can be given to us from the Alumni Review, which is published twice a year.

We can use all the news you have.

Will you help us?

—F. F. B.

Your Fellow Student

Your University life is what you make it. If you desire to be strictly a student then you are granted every opportunity to follow the goal you set for yourself. If, however, you desire to meet your fellow man and study him so that you might better understand life and your friends in relation to yourself perhaps fraternities and activities would be in order.

One thing is certain though and that is that your fellow student plays a large part in your life. What you think, and how you react is determined to a large degree by your contacts at this University. Long after you have forgotten the different theories of economics, or the different methods of education you will remember your friends and fellow contacts at the University.

During your University years you will meet fellow students

The Campus Cavalcade

By Bruce Staggs

• "THE ATTENTION of the graduates is directed to the fact that smoking is not permitted in any part of the Cathedral."

This sentence is contained in the form announcement of graduation week exercises sent out by Fred E. Nessell, Secretary of the Faculties, to members of the graduating classes, and appears in the paragraph pertaining to the Baccalaureate Sermon at the Washington Cathedral.

It is hard to believe that such notice is necessary. If past occasions have so proved, one might wonder whether the graduates may rightly term themselves "educated." Do we need a curriculum in common sense?

At the end of last semester the Student Club management had "Good Luck" written in big white letters on the glass behind the fountain. It seems they forgot this little touch for the late finals. Did anyone else miss the encouragement?

Students contemplating Summer Sessions courses with some trepidation should remember that there is always a silver lining, etc., etc. Specifically, for the last several years the University has thrown a party for summer students, complete with all the soda pop and ice cream each could consume.

There is a certain room over in Strong Hall that has sheltered two University beauty queens thus far. At the last report both were leaving this summer. Will the location be as kind to the next pair to come there? Or are coeds superstitious?

Closing-paragraph-of-the-year-remark: I wonder if we will get some more pretty girls around The Hatchet office next year, I hope.

Confidentially Cryptic Quips

By Robert Linahan

• THIS IS THE last Hatchet of the school year and possibly this may be the last column I will ever write for the sheet since my office is being transferred to Beltsville, Maryland, and it may be impossible for me to continue school. It is with mixed emotion that I write these words and probably they are of interest to no one but myself.

Looking back on my past three years on The Hatchet I remember and always will remember some of the good times that I had while slaving away at all hours of Sunday night trying to get out the sheet.

Feeling Around

We were a rather rowdy bunch on The Hatchet during my term as a cub reporter. There were several characters among us, not excluding myself, who fooled around more than we worked until about midnight and then worked like the dickens to get out the sheet in a hurry so that we might be able to get to work in the morning. I will remember that writing headlines at nine o'clock was a difficult task, for the copy editor was tough and unless it was an unusually good piece of work it was liable to come back for a rewrite. But about midnight most anything one wrote would not be changed.

The summer school issues which we used to put out were headaches. We had a four-inch hole in the bottom of the front page to fill one night and the news editor informed me that I was to fill that hole and there was absolutely no news that we could find to write that wasn't already written. I wrote four inches explaining the predicament I was in and how I would be in bad if I didn't fill the space. I wasn't bawled out.

Crusading Under Ennes

Then there was a time when The Hatchet began to be a crusading paper under Howard Ennes. It seemed we were always ripping up the front page to make room for some of his editorials. This was during my second year on the paper and I was placed in charge of the society desk for a time. I had a lot of fun but also a lot of headaches trying to keep a staff of women working with me instead of against me. They were all good people though. I remember especially Estelle Moore and Barbara Harmon during that period.

It would astonish a person not on The Hatchet how much pressure is brought to bear by your friends to get a certain piece of news in the paper in preference to some other piece. Most of this being advertising for one group at the expense of another. We on the staff promised everybody that we would give them everything they asked for because it was the easiest way to get rid of them. They were very surprised when they did not get what they wanted.

The Higher, the Harder

During this last year as copy editor and news editor and part time columnist my duties were more complex. It is a curious fact about The Hatchet that the higher you go on it the harder you have to work. During this year I have criticized several groups and organizations, praised several others, and in general received quite a thrill seeing my opinions in print and read and cussed and discussed by a few people.

I have made many close friends among my associates during these years. Especially have I been a close friend of John Daugherty and Frank Ford Burnet. In signing off I hope that everybody who spends his time in this activity has learned as much, has had as much fun, and has profited as much as I have. Now I guess I had better apologize again for this extended soliloquy.

who will undoubtedly become your life long friends and who will always remain in your minds as symbols of this University.

It would seem only practical then to try and get your friends and outstanding students now graduating from the various high schools to attend our University for that is the only way in which we can be assured of a future student who will be embodied to a slight degree with the feeling most of us have today regarding our University.

For your convenience a slip is enclosed upon which you might suggest the names of some outstanding man in our community or outstanding graduate who might make this University a place which we can feel we have some part in making long after we personally have left.

Name of Future Student
Address
Your Name
Address

Take It Away

By Sydney Swiller

• IT WOULD BE far more appropriate to wreath the campus poet laureates with empty-beer cans than laurel from the evidences of poetic contributions appearing in columns of college publications throughout the country.

From the Southern California Daily Trojan comes the following verses:

I wish I were a kangaroo
Despite his funny stances,
I'd have a place to put the junk
My girls bring to the dances.

One little kiss, my love, said he
His voice was low and tender,
So down he bent his manly brow
And bang went his suspender.

The De Paula amuses its readers with the following:

I like exams;
I think they're fun;
I never cram;
I don't flunk one;
I'm the teacher.

Uncle Skippy who writes the Children's Corner for The Tower goes poetic when he writes:

Jack had money;
Jill had nil.
Jill marries Jack,
So Jack had Jill.
Jill went to Reno—
Now she's back.
Jill had nothing,
But Jill has Jack.

"Herbie" in the Varsity News goes the limit in rhyme, as can be seen by the following examples:
I had a nice long fingernail,
All beautiful and painted;
But now I broke my fingernail
Too bad—ain't it?

I off-10 sit and meditate
Upon the scurvy trick of f-8
That keeps me still a celib-8
Oh, cruel f-8.

I want a 10-der m-8 sed-8
To love me and be my m-8
My 40-2de is not so gr-8,
I cannot w-8.
Oh, f-8-be-9! Be-4 2 L-8
Relieve my awful single st-8.
And when I've 1 this maid sed-8
We'll oscu-8.

—182 Much.
And the University of Virginia's College Topics contributes the "top" to all college poetry:

Mildred's Wardrobe
Girls in tight dresses
Invite caresses.

Ladies in pants
Repel romance.

Princeton frowns
On strapless gowns.

Veils and wimples
Hide pimples.

Women's hats?
Jehosaphats!

Low-heeled shoes?
Depends on whose.

Sweaters and skirts
Are the nertz.

Angora?
Nevermore.

Slips that show
Have got to go.

Oh, shades of Shakespeare!

STUFF... FROM THE STAFF

• OMER CLARY BURNSIDE, the sage of Lake Village, Arkansas, was among the victims of the annual spring time urge. Freddie Moss-mann, winsome ADPI, is proud possessor of his fraternity pin. (Ed. note. We think it's wonderful!)

Jack K. Jenkins, rotund social chairman of the Sigma Chi fraternity, gripes that his name has not appeared in The Hatchet since his first year in school. (Ed. note. We apologize, Jenkins, for not having heard of your exploits.)

We can't reveal her name, but one of the Chi Omega pledges is secretly married, but hasn't publicly gone beyond the engagement stage, according to one of our Chi Omega informants.

You should have been in The Hatchet office when the publicity director of the Lutheran Club stood the editors on their ears. Those of us who were at Glen Echo the other night were given the treat of seeing Jimmy Edmunds, well-known campus Romeo, watching the movies in the penny arcade.

This is the month of June and many romances are either beginning (Summer Love) or ending (Graduation) and Balfour's reports a good business in sweetheart pins & rings. Among those who middle-aged are Kappa Sig Bill Johnson and Maryruth Bowers.

The Kappa Deltas are still talking about the post card Dewbigh Mathews sent them from his honeymoon. If you want to find out what it was, ask them. They're still burning.

Pinnings in the news: Jean Putnam (ChiO) vs. Bruce Mallory (SAE)—Teddy Gates (ChiO) vs. Johnny Gatling (SAE).

What KD got spanked by a Phi Sig? And where—the SAE house? After a whirlwind campaigning, "Honest" (?) John Daugherty was defeated by his fraternity in his drive to be house fireman during the summer months.



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THOUGHT

WHAT DO COLLEGE DEGREES MEAN TO THE STUDENTS WHO RECEIVE THEM?

By CHARLES EARL WALLACE

• SEVERAL HUNDRED students will receive degrees and certificates from the University at Constitution Hall tonight. All of them have spent years working for the precious paper which they will get, but how many of them know what a degree means?

The question might be asked: "What is a college degree?" "What does it mean?" "What is it worth?"

Frankly, a degree is merely a

piece of paper,

and is worth

simply the paper

on which it is

printed. Nothing

else. It is the

individual that

counts. The conception

throughout colleges

and universities in the

United States that

a degree is a

synonym of

intelligence is

highly erroneous.

Months in the Classroom;
Degree or What?

A degree may mean that its possessor has spent months sitting in college classrooms; intelligence means that its possessor has not only spent months in classrooms, but getting something at the same time.

Perhaps some of the most stupid and intellectually insipid people in the world have college degrees hanging in the attic. Almost anyone who has the ability to memorize two pages of factual data during four hours of study can attain a college degree. Sometimes, we know, it doesn't even require that much time.

On the other hand a degree means something to individuals, per se. Someone said that about 25 per cent of the people receive "valuable" degrees. One out of four, then, benefits from the education he received prior to being awarded his parchment. One out of four can safely lay claim to what educational authorities call intelligence. Right along with that one, how-

ever, are the other three who have to forge their way in the world, too.

Sometimes the world witnesses terrible examples of students who are college graduates; those who have their degrees and are out in the world. These three out of four should not be eliminated from college, as some have suggested. They form the base of the so-called intellectual strata, and go to support the intelligence one.

If they were eliminated from college, the competition would be another three out of four graduated in givout "intelligence."

Gay Republican Era and Streamline Graduates

The present streamline type of education had its beginning less than 25 years ago. During the gay Republican era almost everyone had money to send Billy and Sue to college almost as long as they wanted to go. The system started then, and has increased with every academic year. Graduates went down the assembly line like so many Packard motor cars, polished, shined, and ready to drive.

College degrees became and are now a very common thing. Degrees, by themselves, came to mean much less than they had previously. Instead of asking if there was a degree behind the individual, people began asking if there was an individual behind the degree.

And this June finds thousands of graduates joining those already out in the world. College graduates will be as plentiful as bets on the Kentucky Derby favorite. So, the big question will not be the degree itself, but it will be you, and what you are able to do.

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Greek Round-Up

● SIGMA ALPHA EPSILON held formal initiation last Monday night. Those initiated were Ed Goode, William Blackney, John Taylor, Bruce Haviland, Bill Resseger, Harry Williamson and Haywood Anderson. The new officers elected for the coming term are: Jack Haskie, president; Allan Dewey, vice-president; Bruce Mallory, secretary; Ward Beard, chronicler; Welker Winter, correspondent; Omar Hays, treasurer; Bill Powers, warden; John Watts, herald; and Frank Mitchell, Interfraternity delegate.

● KAPPA ALPHA held its spring formal at the house last Saturday. ● KAPPA SIGMA elected the following officers at a meeting held last Monday: President, Dick Webb; vice-president, Bill Waldrop; secretary, Bill Hurd; and treasurer, Bud Pappenfort.

Two parties are planned by the Kappa Sigs. Friday night, they are having a party on the steamer Potomac and on Saturday night they are giving a farewell stag party for Bill Hurd.

● THETA DELTA CHI held a beach party at Colonial Beach last week-end. Their final dance of the year will be held at the house Saturday night.

Those initiated by Theta Delta Chi are Martin O'Connor, Connie Zepulm, and Jim McKeechie. ● PI BETA PHI held their spring formal Thursday night at Bethesda Women's Country Club.

● PHI SIGMA KAPPA held its graduation banquet and dance Friday night at the Capital Country Club. The event was featured by the appearance of the latest issue of THE LAMBDA, the chapter newspaper.

The officers elected by Phi Sigma Kappa Monday night for the coming quarter are: Phil Crossfield, president; Bill Hammond, vice-president; Joe Harrison, secretary; Ed Terrell, treasurer; Jack Bradley, auditor; Wilbur Chase, inductor; and Grant Sherk, sentinel.

Phi Sigma Kappa will hold a week-end party at Tall Timbers over the 24th and 25th, of this month.

● SIGMA PHI EPSILON will hold its annual spring banquet and formal dance at the Washington Golf and Country Club tomorrow evening. Dean Elmer Louis Kayser will be toastmaster at the banquet. Individual gold medals and a bowling trophy will be presented to the members of the S. P. E. pin team, National Intercollegiate Duckpin champions for 1939.

Despite three drenching rainstorms, the Sig Eps enjoyed an all-day outing and picnic at Pen-Mar, Pa. Sunday, as a warm-up for the spring formal, Mike Murray is the new president of the Interfraternity Council.

● SIGMA CHI elected Mary Lou Nash as its new sweetheart and Janie McGraw, as its new sweetheart, presented her with the cup that goes with her position at the Sig's 75th anniversary dinner dance last Saturday.

Mark Atchinson was presented with a key by the active chapter in appreciation for his work as president during the last year. The Sigma club, composed of wives of Sig members of Washington, presented Mr. Atchinson with a life membership in the fraternity.

A stag party will be the Sig attraction during this coming weekend. The party—with beer—will be held at the summer cottage of Bud Carlson at Epping Forest.

● CHI OMEGA held its graduation banquet and dance at the Kenwood Country Club Thursday night. ● KAPPA DELTA held its summer formal at the house Monday night. ● SIGMA NU held its Spring Formal at the house Monday night.

Mrs. Marvin Entertains Seniors

● MRS. CLOYD HECK MARVIN, attractively gowned in a pink dress with a picture hat in a matching shade, cordially greeted the Seniors who attended the reception in their honor at the Washington Club, Monday afternoon.

The visiting seniors were introduced to Mrs. Marvin by Dean Elmer Louis Kayser, Dean of University students. Refreshments of ice cream and punch were served to the guests and dancing was enjoyed by all.

Luther Club Holds Tours

● THE LUTHER Club is rounding out its activities for this year by combining several social affairs with two educational tours.

A picnic supper has been planned for the graduates of the club next Saturday at Great Falls. The members will please meet at the Columbian House at 5:30 and the charge will be 25 cents.

A beach party will be given June 24, at Beverly Beach. Meet at the Columbian House at 1:30. Charge for the supper will be 25 cents.

On July 31st, a nature walk at Fort Dupont will be conducted by the club. Meet at Columbian House at 2:30. Members will please bring their own food for the picnic supper that will follow.

There will be a Roadside Theatre Party, July 14th. Meet at the Columbian House at 7:30.

A naval observatory tour has been arranged by the club for July 20th. Meet at the Columbian House at 8:15.

A picnic supper and sunset service will be held at Sugar Loaf Mountain on August 6th. Meet at Columbian House. There will be a charge of 25 cents for the supper.

A moonlight boat ride will be held July 27th. Meet at the Columbian House or on The City of Washington.

For reservation for any of these affairs reservations can be made by calling Marian Freese, Randolph 7535.

Alumni Are Host To Seniors

● OVER 500 PEOPLE danced to the tunes of a well known orchestra in the air conditioned main ballroom of the Mayflower Hotel when the Alumni Association of the University entertained the Seniors with their traditional dance last Saturday night.

The dance which was under the management of Mrs. Stearns, of the Alumni Association, was one of the most successful affairs of its type in the history of the University. The Hall was crowded with Seniors thoroughly enjoying themselves.

Guests were greeted at the door by a receiving line which was composed of President and Mrs. Marvin, Mr. Lester Smith, secretary of the Alumni Association, and Mrs. Smith, President Craig of the Alumni Association, and Miss Tate, and Miss Barbara Harmon, president of the Senior Class, and her escort, John Cassil.

At 11:30 a Grand March was conducted, led by Miss Harmon and Mr. Cassil, and consisting of all the seniors of the University.

The dance was from 9:45 p.m. until 1:30 a.m.

Advice To The Loveshorn

By Your Correspondent

Dear Please Be Helpful:

Now that school is out, and I don't have the Student Club, where I can make dates, how, oh how, am I going to get around?

Worried To Death.

Dear You're in a Bad Way:

Don't the boys have your telephone number? If not, why not try scrawling it across The Hatchet bulletin board. They tell me it works.

Helpful (I hope).

Dear Miss Correspondent:

I have a serious problem to discuss with you. Every time I see my favorite and current heartthrob in a pair of slacks, my heart sinks. What should I do about this terrific problem?

Puzzled.

Dear Slack Hater:

Tell her to wear shorts and gaze to your heart's content.

Wisdom.

Dear Know It All:

Since I first entered G. W. I have encountered a serious problem. This problem is whether to kiss my boy friend goodnight on the first date? At first I didn't think this was a good idea, but now I don't know. What do you think?

Should I or Shouldn't I.

Dear To Be or Not To Be:

This problem has confronted wiser and more experienced people than you, my dear. All I can tell you is that if you do you're easy to make and if you don't, you're a prude—so take your choice and resign yourself to your fate.

(signed) I Don't Know Yet Either.

Dear What's the Answer:

Do boys at G. W. fall for you quicker than anyone else? The first date I have with a boy, he tells me how much he loves me and how beautiful he thinks I am. Does he mean it?

Life Is Beautiful.

Dear Sweet Sixteen (you must be just that):

I hate to disillusion you, but the next line to that one is "what kissable lips you have" and I'm sure even you know what that leads up to.

(signed) Life Can Be Beautiful.

Wilmer O'Flaherty

Announces

Sister's Betrothal

● THE ENGAGEMENT of Maude Irene O'Flaherty, to Thomas Ray Palmer has been announced by her brother, Wilmer L. O'Flaherty, of Richmond, Va. Miss O'Flaherty is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William C. O'Flaherty and Mr. Palmer is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Emmett Palmer.

Miss O'Flaherty, who is a graduate of the George Washington University, has been Secretary to the Dean of Columbian College since September, 1930. She is a member of Kappa Delta Sorority, Pi Lambda Theta Educational Sorority, and while a student in the University was elected to Gamma Eta Zeta, now affiliated with Pi Delta Epsilon. She has been general Treasurer of the Alumni Association for the past two years.

She served as the first Secretary-Treasurer of the Washington Panhellenic Association when it was organized some eight years ago.

Mr. Palmer attended the Waynesboro Public Schools and the Presbyterian Junior College for boys. He is active in Washington Masonic circles.

The marriage of Miss O'Flaherty and Mr. Palmer will be solemnized in an informal ceremony at the Epworth Methodist Church on Friday evening, June the 30th.

Wilgus Edits History Of Latin America

● AN OUTLINE HISTORY OF Latin America, edited by Dr. A. Curtis Wilgus, professor of South American history, and Dr. John D'Ecq of the Division of Cultural Relations, was issued last week.

The book contains a brief outline of the histories of all the South American countries. The 58 maps showing the political and economical growth of the countries were prepared by Dr. Wilgus.

Nine Wins 8; While Losing 7

By George Suser

● COACH ED MORRIS, of the University baseball team, is looking forward to the renewing of varsity baseball as a major sport at the University next year, after concluding a fairly successful season with a freshman team. The Colonial frosh ended their first season with eight wins and seven losses.

Foremost among the games played this season were the two with Maryland and one with Georgetown, long local rivals of G. W. U. The Buff yearlings split with Maryland, losing the first game, and blasting out a 13-3 victory to win the second. Georgetown won the one game played, and the other was rained out. They also won victories over the Heurich Brewers, 7-Up, Western, Eastern, Tech, and Anastasia high school teams.

Coach Morris' team was hampered by injuries throughout the season. Toby Bright, leading Colonial pitcher, was out of action for some time with a bad shoulder; Wes Taylor, hard-hitting catcher, injured his right wrist and had to miss a few contests; and Bobby Gilham broke his right ankle for the second time year, in the Georgetown game.

Roy McNeil, elongated first baseman, led the team in batting and fielding, punching out a lusty .339 batting average and batted in 14 runs, and fielded .993 in handling 135 putouts. Bobby Gilham also drove in 14 runs and had a very creditable .333 slugging average. Bobby was the most consistent extra base hitter on the team, knocking the cover off the horseshoe for three doubles, two triples, and two home runs. He also led in the team in total hits, getting 21 in all.

Other promising hitters were George "Jughead" Garber, with .333 for four games; Harry Gray, .329, and Wes Taylor with .302 were the only players who batted over .300 for the season. George Oertel, little outfielder, led in the base stealing department with 11 thefts.

Redinger Leading Pitcher

The pitching department was a bit weak, and was comprised of hurriers who were pretty green in this line. Only one regular and a relief moundsman had a better than .500 pitching average. Jack Redinger, won three and lost three; Toby Bright split even with two victories and two defeats; Frank McGinnis with a one-win record; Tom Hutchinson with one victory and Sam Mallos charged with one setback, completed the frosh hurling record.

The season was a fairly successful one, considering lack of student interest and support, injuries to the players, and the fact that this was the first time baseball was again on the sports program after a lapse of two years. Doris Thompson, attractive freshman, was picked as sponsor of the team during season, and Coach Morris was also assisted by Vinnie DeAngelis, who handled the pitching staff, and Gresham Fishbein, team manager.

Max Farrington will be in charge of the pools and swimming program of the Municipal Department of Playgrounds. The Welfare and Recreational Association, in charge of East Potomac, Takoma Park, McKinley High, and Anacostia pools, will have the following: G. W. athletic heads in charge as managers: Bill Reinhart will be manager of the East Potomac Pool; and George Lentz will be assistant manager and engineer and supervisor of first aid.

Tim Moynihan, football coach, will be manager of the Takoma Park pool and will be assisted by Ray Hanken, chief engineer. Bill Myers will be in charge of the McKinley High pool and Boyd Hickman, football star, '35, will be manager of the Glen Echo Crystal Pool.

Athletes and alumni working at the various pools are: East Potomac, Hal Schiering; Bob Nowaskey, George Garber, Sunny Jones, Eddie Amendola, Ken Batson and Matt Zunic. Takoma Park, Eddie Wilamowski, McKinley High, Izzy Weinberg and John Koskoki. Anacostia pool, Lou Veltz and Ed Keashey. Glen Echo, Art Nowaskey, Elmer Hogg, Allan Holt, Joe La Salle, and Joe Arnoff.

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Dave Johnsen Wins D. C. Tennis Title

By Tom McCall

● DISPLAYING a brand of tennis that amazed the spectators and caused the sport writers to pen glowing tributes, Dave Johnsen, University student, stepped out to win the Washington men's singles championship Sunday afternoon at the Edgemoore Club. Not satisfied with the easy title, Dave teamed up with Hugh Lynch to take the men's doubles honors.

Stepping up from the junior ranks to the men's class was no easy step for this young Colonial sophomore, but Dave won his way to the semi-finals which brought up against Hugh Lynch, former Princeton net star, and defending champion. Dave went on to win in two straight sets, 6-2, 7-5, but he had to resort to all his skill to keep the match from going to three sets. Demonstrating a powerful volley, a chop and a drop shot, he just couldn't be stopped.

Johnsen Flashes in 6-4 Match

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District Champ

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Doubles Hotly Contested

Johnsen paired up with Hugh Lynch in the doubles finals against Lieutenants Bill Howard and Jimmy Farrin, and another fast and furious match was in store for the wide-eyed crowd, which was ready for anything by that time. The match has been started on Saturday afternoon, and the two officers were within a point of victory before Johnsen and Lynch rallied to make it two-all as darkness forced a postponement.

The two doubles victors took a 6-4 lead in the first set, were trounced 1-6, and then came back to win three straight, 7-5, 6-3, 6-3. Johnsen again flashed with his overhead, backhanded and defensive volleying that completely broke up the opponent's defensive lobbing. Lynch also played very well.

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8 Featured In 1939 Year Book

By Fred Youngblood
● EIGHT STUDENTS selected by a faculty committee for outstanding service to the University and prominence in undergraduate activities are featured in the 1939 edition of the Cherry Tree, University year book, Hall of Fame.

Marie McNeese, Phi Beta Kappa, president of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority, captain of the Rifle Team, member of Cherry Tree staff, Phi Delta Epsilon, Mortar Board, Delphi, and Cue and Curtain; Mary Jo Mitchell, co-editor of the Cherry Tree, president of Mortar Board, treasurer of Kappa Kappa Gamma, member of Delphi and Phi Delta Epsilon; Barbara Harmon, president of the Senior Class, Student Council program director, member of Delphi, Mortar Board, Phi Delta Epsilon, and The Hatchet staff; and Esther Yanovsky, co-editor of the Cherry Tree, Phi Beta Kappa, member of the Rifle Team, Mortar Board, the Hatchet staff and Phi Delta Epsilon, were the co-eds selected for this honor.

The men chosen were Bob Faris, basketball, football, and tennis star; Bob Williams, varsity baseball and football, president of Tau Sigma Rho fraternity, member of O. D. K. and the Interfraternity Council; Vinnie DeAngelis, Buff & Blue director, varsity baseball, president of O. D. K. and intramural athletic director; and Vic Sampson, varsity football, interfraternity athletic director, and member of O. D. K.

The enlarged Cherry Tree, produced under the co-editorship of Virginia Teras and Esther Yanovsky, includes a varied selection of features of interest to the individual student. The satire section, a miniature edition of the New Yorker magazine, is unusual in its content and review of University functions and activities.

The beauty section, featuring Peggy Colburne as the Beauty Queen selected by John Boles for the Cherry Tree and Eleanor Sherburne as Homecoming Queen, fulfills expectations of decorative pulchritude, athletics are given a prominent place in the makeup, and the usual class organizations and fraternity-sorority sections complete a well-rounded and planned volume.

Flags at Half Mast For Dr. J. H. Gore

● UNIVERSITY FLAGS stood at half mast this week in honor of Dr. James Howard Gore, geodesist, mathematician, and author, who died Saturday at his home in Friendship Heights, Md., at the age of 82.

Dr. Gore taught mathematics at the University for 31 years before his retirement in 1909. He had recently been elected professor emeritus of mathematics.

He had been honored by 14 decorations from Belgium, Bulgaria, France, Siam, and Rumania. Among his published works were treatises on mathematics, geodesics, biographies, linguistic studies, and social, economic, and political studies.

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Class Night Awards Are Listed

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Alexander Wilbourne Weddell Award, in the amount of \$150, went to Leo Adolph Bachman, 444 Volta Place. The prize was established by Mrs. Weddell in honor of her husband, a graduate of the University, who is Ambassador to Spain. It is given for the best essay on the subject of "the promotion of peace among the nations of the world."

The Omicron Delta Kappa and Phi Beta Phi Awards, conferred annually upon the man and the woman member of the senior class who have done the most constructive work in student activities, went to Vincent DeAngelis, Brooklyn, N. Y., and Barbara Harmon, Fort Myer, Va.

The Delphi Award to the woman student in the Junior Class who has done the most constructive work in the promotion of student activities among the women of the University was received by Virginia Teras, 1701 16th Street.

Those tapped for membership in Omicron Delta Kappa were: Everett Bellows, president of the George Washington Congress, member of the Student Council, Phi Beta Kappa; Jack Butterworth, for three years a member of the basketball team; Hal Schiering, for three years a member of the football team; Sid Silkowitz, for three years a member of the basketball team; Don Surine, for three years a member of the tennis team; and Charles Earl Wallace, associate editor of The University Hatchet.

Other prizes were awarded as follows:

Alpha Chi Sigma freshman awards in chemistry: Raymond N. Brown, Sidney Cox, Joseph Kolker. Alpha Chi Sigma senior award in chemistry: Charles L. Gordon. Alpha Delta Phi award in French: Muriel H. Pearce.

Alpha Delta Theta Award in chemistry: Marilyn O. Williams. American Institute of Chemists Award in chemistry: Joseph M. Mason.

Beta Phi Alpha Award in Zoology: Vernon F. Bond.

Byrne T. Burns Award in Chemistry: William F. Sager.

Chi Omega Award in social sciences: Virginia Constance Dawson.

Colonial Dames Award in history: Ira Vernon Brown.

E. K. Cutter Award in English: John G. Allee.

Daughters of the American Revolution Award in American History: Sue S. Burnett.

Harry C. Davis Award in public speaking: First semester, Margaret Kinsman (first), Jesse N. Toney (second), Desmond D. Balmer (third); Second semester—Elvert F. Miller (first), Edward L. Good (second).

Isaac Davis Award in public speaking: Simon Rottenberg (first), Scott L. Kirkpatrick Jr. (second), Phoebe J. Beall (third).

William T. Davis Prize in ophthalmology: Camp S. Huntington.

Delta Sigma Rho Awards to the winners of the interfraternity debates: Delta Zeta (Tau Kappa Epsilon).

Delta Zeta Award in botany: Leonard Small.

Ellsworth Award in patent law: Charles M. Hutchins.

Elton Award in Greek: Marie G. McNeese.

European History Prize: Simon Rottenberg.

Willie E. Fitch Award in chemistry: William F. Sager.

Edward Carrington Goddard Award in French: Manuel J. Mendez.

James D. Goddard Award in pharmacy: Charles W. Clayton.

Henry E. Kalusowski Award in pharmacy: Junior prize—James T. Haden; Senior prize—Seymour Adler.

Kappa Delta Scholarship award to the woman student in the Freshman class maintaining the highest scholastic average: Katherine E. Barker.

Kappa Kappa Gamma Award in botany: Muriel M. Schatz.

Mortar Board Award to the woman student in the sophomore class having a scholastic standing of B or higher and the most outstanding record in activities: Sue S. Burnett.

Phi Alpha Award to the man in the Sophomore class who maintained the highest scholastic average in his work at the University: Ira V. Brown.

Phi Eta Sigma Award to the beginning man student attaining the highest scholastic average in his first full semester of work: Paul Robert McClellan.

Phi Mu Award in political science: Hazel M. Smallwood.

Phi Sigma Kappa Award to the winner of the Freshman Oratorical Contest: Edward L. Good.

Phi Sigma Sigma Award in zoology: Jean H. Sonn.

Phi Sigma Sigma Nileen Cooper Award in psychology: Martha Winters Gannon.

Phi Lambda Theta Award to the student who produces the most meritorious master's thesis in education.

Feature Writer Wins New York Position

● SIDNEY SWILLER, feature writer for the Hatchet this semester, leaves Washington today to take a new position in New York in the United States Courthouse.

Swiller, a sophomore, during the past four months, has enriched the news columns of The Hatchet with many colorful stories of general student interest.

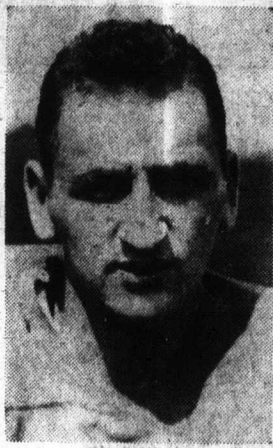
Bob Linehan, member of the editorial board of The Hatchet, said yesterday: "Since his association with The Hatchet, Sidney has proved one of the most outstanding and prolific feature writers that I have known during my time on the paper, both as reporter and news editor."

A member of Phi Eta Sigma, honorary freshman, scholastic fraternity, Swiller has been an outstanding student. His point index for all subjects is 3.55. He expects to continue his studies and college journalism at one of the larger New York City universities next semester.

Sport Stars Are Tapped By O.D.K.



Jack Butterworth



Hal Schiering

See story and additional pictures on page 1.

Lerner Named Cue & Curtain President

● EUGENE LERNER, who has been prominent in Cue and Curtain dramatic presentations during the past year, was elected president of the organization at the last meeting this semester. Clinton Braine was elected vice-president and Elaine Berry secretary for next year.

All three of the newly elected officers have taken prominent parts in the acting company of the group and each contributed actively to the club's only three-act production for the year, Maxwell Anderson's "Winterset." Lerner took the lead role in "Winterset" and in the one-act play "In Heaven and Earth" which was entered in the District tournament. He also appeared in two one-act plays presented this spring.

Braine climaxed his activities in the organization this year by his characterization of Garth in "Winterset." Elaine Berry appeared in "No, Not the Russians" and "In Heaven and Earth" beside acting as directorial assistant and prompter for "Winterset."

The following appointments were announced by Lerner last week: Allan Dewey, business manager; Frank Miller, production manager; Lee Moran, assistant business manager; and Robert Bradley, promotion manager.

Tau Sigma Rho Plans Awards for Acting

● TWO MEMBERS of Cue & Curtain will become recipients of merit awards next year if the University gives its approval to a proposal submitted by Tau Sigma Rho, special fraternity.

The organization today signified its intention of awarding a cup to the actor or actress giving "the finest performance of the year" and a medal to the person who is "the most valuable" to the dramatic organization during the year.

A committee for choosing the winner of the cup would be set up by the advisory committee on forensics and drama of the University, and the Cue & Curtain director would select the most valuable person.

Twelfth Anniversary Of President Arrives

By Roy Eastin

● THIS WEEK the University marks the completion of 12 years under the leadership of Dr. Cloyd Heck Marvin—12 years that have proved highly successful from a standpoint of academic achievement and material progress.

When Dr. Marvin left the University of Arizona in 1927 and came here to be President, he found himself at the head of an institution of low academic rank and which was financially impoverished.

Today, the University enjoys the highest possible accreditation, has contributed progressive achievements to the field of higher education, and is embarked upon a financial and building program that points toward the realization of the dream of General George Washington—a great University in the Nation's Capital.

Academic Progress

The first milestone in the program to raise the academic and education position of the University was passed when accreditation was extended by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. Further accreditation by the Association of American Universities brought the highest possible recognition to this University. Similar ratings for the professional schools by the Association of American Law Schools and the American Medical Association have been maintained.

Only Phi Beta Kappa in D. C. In recognition of the high quality of the scientific divisions, the University was honored by the establishment of a chapter of Sigma Xi, national honorary fraternity in science. Last year this University became the envy of all other educational institutions in the District when Phi Beta Kappa, national scholastic honorary, established the first and only chapter in the District of Columbia.

An innovation, one which has attracted to the University the attention of university administrators generally, has been the development of the Graduate Council. Under the new plan of operation, an effort has been made to re-establish the historical relationship of master and apprentice.

The steady rise in academic standards has been demonstrated by a corresponding rise in standards for admission and graduation. The Law School now requires a Bachelor's degree for admission. Increase in Ph.D.'s

The last dozen years has seen an increase in the number of faculty members holding the Ph.D. degree from less than 35 per cent in 1927 to over 85 per cent in 1939. A system of tenure for University professors has been inaugurated and a generous policy of sabbatical leaves

Physical Growth

Of the 19 buildings which made up the University in 1927, only two were modern school buildings; the others were remodeled residences of which twelve were rented. In the last twelve years the number has increased to 29, nearly all of the small residence buildings have been replaced by modern classrooms. The School of Government has become a reality through the gift of Mrs. Hattie M. Strong, and the long dreamed of residence hall for women has been realized. The new library will be a suitable monument to a dozen years of progress.

Endowments, which were slightly over 800 thousand dollars in 1927, have grown until today they stand at nearly 2 million 300 thousand, an increase of 186 per cent.

Real estate owned 12 years ago was valued at \$1,665,751.88. Today the figure stands at \$3,611,792.56, an increase of 117 per cent. The square footage of real estate has been almost doubled in the face of rapidly rising property values.

A dozen years ago there was not a single student social center on the campus. When Building C was erected it was at the insistence of the President that provision was for the Student Club, student cooperative, Sorority Hall and Strong Hall also make provisions for social facilities. Columbian Women, Mortar Board and W. A. A. are at work on a program to establish a Women's Activity Building.

The will of Abram Lerner, former member of the Board of Trustees, made provision for the erection of an auditorium upon which work is expected to start in the near future.



Sid Silkowitz

Smiths

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Since 1824 when only three students received degrees no class at the University has graduated more than that of 1932. In that year over 800 students won degrees. The class of 1939 is expected to come close to that figure by graduating approximately 800 students, according to Lester A. Smith, Executive Secretary of the Alumni Association. Other large classes have been 1933 and 1937, each of which numbered more than 700 graduates.

The smallest classes have been 1824, the first, and the 1836. Both these years, only three students graduated. One hundred year ago, the class of 1839 numbered 15, three of which received honorary degrees. In one century the size of the classes have been multiplied more than 50 times.

Rulers Held Degrees

Among those who hold University degrees, either honorary or earned, are Presidents of the United States, generals, statesmen, and even one king. Albert I of Belgium was the monarch who in 1918 during his visit to Washington was awarded an honorary LL.D. Herbert Hoover, Calvin Coolidge, Warren Harding and Theodore Roosevelt are the presidents who received degrees. General John J. Pershing was awarded the LL.D. in 1920.

J. Edgar Hoover, head of the Federal Department of Investigation; Governor Culbert Olson, of California; Alexander Weddell, first American ambassador to Nationalist Spain; Senator Bennett Champ Clark, of Missouri; and Nelson T. Johnson, ambassador to China, are liberally sprinkled throughout the but a few of the illustrious names 243 pages of graduates in the alumni directory.

Views

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her majesty, the Queen. "She is the personification of charm and grace," he remarked.

Charles Earl Wallace, recent commentator on Anglo-American relations in The Hatchet, was not so favorably impressed. "It was nice to see them, he remarked, 'for I've never seen a king and queen before. But I don't think that straight-thinking Americans ought to let their visit influence them in deciding what course this country should take to steer clear of the next European conflict.'"

He added a cynical note when he remarked, "A little more than 100 years ago, the government which they represent set fire to our capital. This time their visit was more subtle, the firestorm being supplanted by a petite umbrella and a napoleonic hat."

Dr. A. Curtis Wilgus, professor of South American history, stood in the hot sun for two hours. But time didn't waste—he read the latest issue of Reader's Digest in the intervening time.

Commenting upon the visit of the King and Queen, he said, "It certainly showed that they are real people. There is no doubt that they are both very democratic and popular. After having seen the King and Queen most people now believe that there is a great deal in common between the two countries."

Barbara Harmon, president of the senior class, stated, "It will probably go down in history as one of the finest diplomatic steps Great Britain has ever made."

Guests

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"The Story of Inter-Americanism," "Can Inter-Americanism Survive?", "Trade Problems of the Future", "Governmental Plans for Cultural Relations", "Religious Ties of the Day", "Student Activities in Latin America", "The Influence of the Press", "Diplomacy and Pan Americanism", "Labor Movements in Latin America", "Hawaii and the United States", "Philippine-United States Relations", "Defense of the Americas", "Pan American Highway", "Educational Problems in Latin America", and "Puerto Rico's Problems."

Residence

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especially guard against the possibility that he may be increasing the length of his college course by failing to meet the requirements for admission to Columbian College in the regular way and at the normal time. The chief causes of failure in this respect are (1) delay in taking prescribed Junior College courses, and (2) unsatisfactory scholarship."

Staff Changes & Promotions Announced

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Floyd Sterling Rogers, Jr., M.D., Clinical Instructor in Obstetrics and Gynecology.

Oliver Lyman Spaulding, A.M., LL.B., LL.D., Brigadier General, U.S.A., Professorial Lecturer in Military History.

William Dandridge Terrell, Jr., M.D., Clinical Instructor in Obstetrics and Gynecology.

Resignations:

Ralph Waldo Barris, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Anatomy.

John Harold Hanks, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Bacteriology, June 30, 1939.

Winifred Richmond, Ph.D., Clinical Instructor in Psychiatry, June 30, 1939.

Ross McLaury Taylor, Ph.D., Instructor in English.

Benjamin Carpenter Cruickshanks, B.S. in M.E., Associate Professor of Mechanical Engineering—First Semester.

Merle Irving Protzman, A.M., Associate Professor of Romance Languages—Year 1939-40.

James Henry Taylor, Ph.D., Professor of Mathematics—Second Semester.

Leaves of Absence:

DeWitt Clinton Knowles, Jr., M.S., Assistant Professor of Chemistry—First Semester.

George Winchester Stone, Jr., A.M., Assistant Professor of English—First Semester.

Promotions on Staff:

Theodore Judson Abernethy, B.S., M.D., from Clinical Instructor in Medicine to Associate in Medicine.

Antonio Albano, A.M., Instructor in Romance Languages to Assistant Professor of Spanish.

William Staton Anderson, A.B., M.D., from Clinical Instructor in Pediatrics to Associate in Pediatrics.

Justin Brockenbrough Chinn, M.D., from Clinical Instructor in Medicine to Associate in Medicine.

Charles William Cole, A.M., from Associate in English to Instructor in English.

Anna Pearl Cooper, A.M., Associate Professor of English to Professor of English.

Ronald Altmore Cox, A.B., M.D., from Clinical Instructor in Ophthalmology to Associate in Ophthalmology.

Ruth Emma Coyner, Ph.D., Instructor in Education to Assistant Professor of Education.

Paul Frederick Dickens, B.S., M.D., from Associate in Medicine to Clinical Professor of Medicine.

Samuel Mayer Dodek, A.M., M.D., from Clinical Instructor in Obstetrics and Gynecology to Associate in Obstetrics and Gynecology.

Harry Filmore Dowling, A.B., M.D., from Clinical Instructor in Medicine to Clinical Professor of Medicine.

Clayton Bernard Ethridge, M.D., from Clinical Instructor in Medicine to Associate in Medicine.

Claud Max Farrington, A.M., from Associate Professor of Physical Education for Men to Professor of Physical Education for Men.

Stuart Oliver Foster, A.B., M.D., from Clinical Instructor in Medicine to Associate in Medicine.

Edgar Leonard Goodman, M.D., M.M.S., from Clinical Instructor in Ophthalmology to Associate in Ophthalmology.

Charles Robert Lee Halley, A.B., M.D., from Associate in Medicine to Clinical Professor of Medicine.

Clayton Howard Hixson, M.D., from Clinical Instructor in Obstetrics and Gynecology to Associate in Obstetrics and Gynecology.

Henry John Russell McNitt, B.S., M.D., from Clinical Instructor in Obstetrics and Gynecology to Associate in Obstetrics and Gynecology.

Walter Kendall Myers, B.S., M.D., from Clinical Instructor in Medicine to Associate in Medicine.

Aaron Nimetz, A.B., M.D., from

Piano Teaching Position Offered

● VINNIE G. BARROWS, Director of the Employment Bureau, announced today that any coed who can give elementary piano lessons and serve as governess to a twelve year old boy, will have an opportunity to continue her own study of the piano in exchange for her services.

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Clinical Instructor in Pediatrics to Associate in Pediatrics.

Bernath Eugene Phillips, A.M., from Instructor in Physical Education for Men to Assistant Professor of Physical Education for Men.

Gretchen Louisa Rogers, A.M., from Instructor in German to Assistant Professor of German.

Richard Knight Thompson, D.D., S., from Clinical Instructor in Dental Surgery to Associate in Dental Surgery.

Jenny Emsley Turnbull, A.M., from Instructor in Physical Education for Women to Assistant Professor of Physical Education for Women.

Agnes Kerr Tweedie, Ed.M., from Associate in Education to Lecturer in Education.

Changes of Title:

Edward Camplin Acheson, Ph.D., from Professorial Lecturer in Economics to Associate Professor of Economics.

Irene Cornwell, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Romance Languages to Assistant Professor of French.

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